

FISCAL NOTE

HB 869 - SB 1617

March 23, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the cremation of the remains of an unclaimed deceased individual that have been delivered to a public official for the purpose of disposal at public expense. Such disposal would only be authorized if a good faith attempt has been made to notify the next of kin.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant/Permissive

Assumption:

- Local governments choosing to utilize such an option will experience a decrease in expenditures if this method of disposal is cheaper than the method currently utilized. Such decrease is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director